SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

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KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

JUVENILES. Provides for parent participation after adjudication of a delinquent act committed by their juvenile child. (8/1/22)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1, Removes provisions that if a child is unable to make restitution that the court may order a parent, tutor, guardian, or other financially responsible person to be responsible for restitution which order can we waived by the court.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

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<u>Present law</u> provides that the father and the mother are responsible for the damage occasioned by their minor child, who resides with them or who has been placed by them under the care of other persons, reserving to them recourse against those persons. <u>Present law</u> further provides that the father and mother are not responsible for the damage occasioned by their minor child who has been emancipated by marriage, by judgment of full emancipation, or by judgment of limited emancipation that expressly relieves the parents of liability for damages occasioned by their minor child. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes a court to impose any term and condition deemed in the best interests of the child and the public, including the following requirements:

- (1) The child attend school, if the school admits the child.
- (2) The child or his parent or legal guardian perform court-approved community service activities.
- (3) The child make reasonable restitution to any victim for any personal or property damage caused by the child in the commission of the delinquent act.
- (4) The child participate in any program of medical or psychological or other treatment found necessary for his rehabilitation.
- (5) Suspend or restrict the child's driving privileges.
- (6) Prohibit the child from possessing a firearm or carrying a concealed weapon.
- (7) The child pay a monthly supervision fee of not less than \$10 nor more than \$100 per month

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and authorizes the court to impose a requirement that the child and his parent or legal guardian cooperate in connection with any part of the disposition order including but not limited to a court-approved decisionmaking course necessary for his rehabilitation.

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Amends Ch.C. Art. 897(B)(2) and 899(B)(2)(c); adds Ch. C. Art. 899(B)(2)(h))

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